(*b*) whether instances of misappropriation or mismanagement were pointed out by the Auditors; and

(*c*) if so, the nature of the action taken in each case?

Minister for Education, Labour and Civil Supplies
(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai):

(*a*) The Central Banking Corporation of Travancore, Ltd.
The Aluminium Industries, Ltd.

(*b*) and (*c*) The Reports are confidential and are being considered by Government.

Sri. P. K. Dewer: May I know whether the Govrnment have received any report regarding the West Coast Fisheries?

Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai: Yes.

Sri. P. K. Dewer: May I know whether the Company is still working?

Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai: The Company is supposed to be working now.

Sri. P. K. Dewer: I heard the hon'ble Minister saying that the company is suppossed to be working. May I know whether it is really working?

Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai: It is not effectively working.

WAITING SHED AT PARUR

***640.** [17] **Sri. Paul Thaliath:** Will the Hon'ble Minister for Public Works be pleased to state.—

(*a*) Whether the Government have decided to construct a waiting shed at Parur;

(*b*) if so, the locality selected for the same; and

(*c*) when the work of the shed will be started?

Mintster for Education, and Labour Civil Supplies
(Sri. T. K. Narayan Pillai):

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No decision has been made in regard to the site. The question of acquiring a suitable site for putting up the shed is under consideration.

(*c*) The construction work will be started as soon as the site is selected.

Sri. P. K. Dewer: How long will it take?

Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai: It will not take much time. The site has been suggested by the authorities concerned and in all probability that site may be ordered to be selecrted.

AUDITING CHITTY ACCOUNTS

***641.** [18] **Sri. Paul Thaliath:** Will the Hon'ble Minister for Registration be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether Government auditors are auditing the Chitty accounts in the Travancore area, as per the Chitty Act:

(*b*) if so, the number of auditors deputed for this work;

(*c*) the number of existing registered chitties as on 31st January 1951; and

(*d*) whether the Auditors carry on the audit by going to the respective chitty offices or whether the records are taken to their office at specified places?

Minister for Education, Labour and Civil Supplies
(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai):

(*a*) There are at present no Government Auditors as such for auditing Chitty accounts. The District Registrars and their inspection staff are now attending to the work.

(*b*) Does not arise.

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